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VIA ECF

The Hon. Steward D. Aaron
United States District Court for the Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: *Allianz Global Investors GmbH, et al. v. Bank of America Corp. et al.*,
Case No. 1:18-cv-10364 (S.D.N.Y. 2018)

Dear Judge Aaron:

We represent the JPMorgan Defendants in the above-referenced action, and write on behalf of Defendants, with Plaintiffs' consent, respectfully to request a one-day extension of the deadline for the joint letter due today at 6 p.m., until tomorrow, February 23, 2022, at 6 p.m. *See* ECF 187. The reason for the request is that Plaintiff's counsel must attend a funeral this afternoon (Pacific time), and consequently will be unavailable during the time that the parties ordinarily would devote to finalizing the joint letter. This is the first request for an extension of this deadline, and Plaintiffs agree to this request.

Presently, the only disputed issues for the Court to resolve at the February 24, 2022 conference are deposition limits for the BlackRock and PIMCO groups. If the Court grants the requested extension, the parties will endeavor to file the joint letter as early as possible on February 23, and will be prepared to proceed with the conference on February 24 at 2 p.m. EST as scheduled. However, if the Court would prefer to have more time to review the parties' briefing in advance of the conference, the parties are also available at 2 p.m. EST on either Friday, February 25 or Monday, February 28.

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Respectfully submitted

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